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Honorable Lorna G. Schofield
United States District Judge
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007

**Re: United States v. Xavier De La Cruz
21 Cr. 13 (LGS)**

Dear Judge Schofield:

I write to request a brief adjournment of Mr. De La Cruz's sentencing hearing. The hearing set by the Court for September 26 conflicts with another sentencing hearing I have scheduled for that day.

I ask that the Court reschedule Mr. De La Cruz's sentencing to the following week—the week of October 3, 2022 (*except* October 4).

I have conferred with the Government and Mr. De La Cruz. All parties are available to proceed on a date the week of October 3.

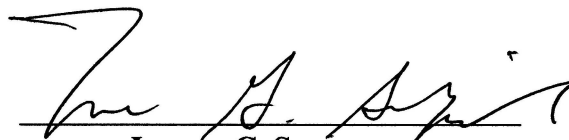
Respectfully submitted,

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CC: AUSA Rushmi Bhaskran.

Application Granted in part. The sentencing hearing currently scheduled for September 26, 2022, is adjourned to **October 25, 2022, at 11:00 a.m.** The Clerk of the Court is directed to terminate the letter motion at docket number 44.

Dated: September 20, 2022
New York, New York


LORNA G. SCHOFIELD
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE